

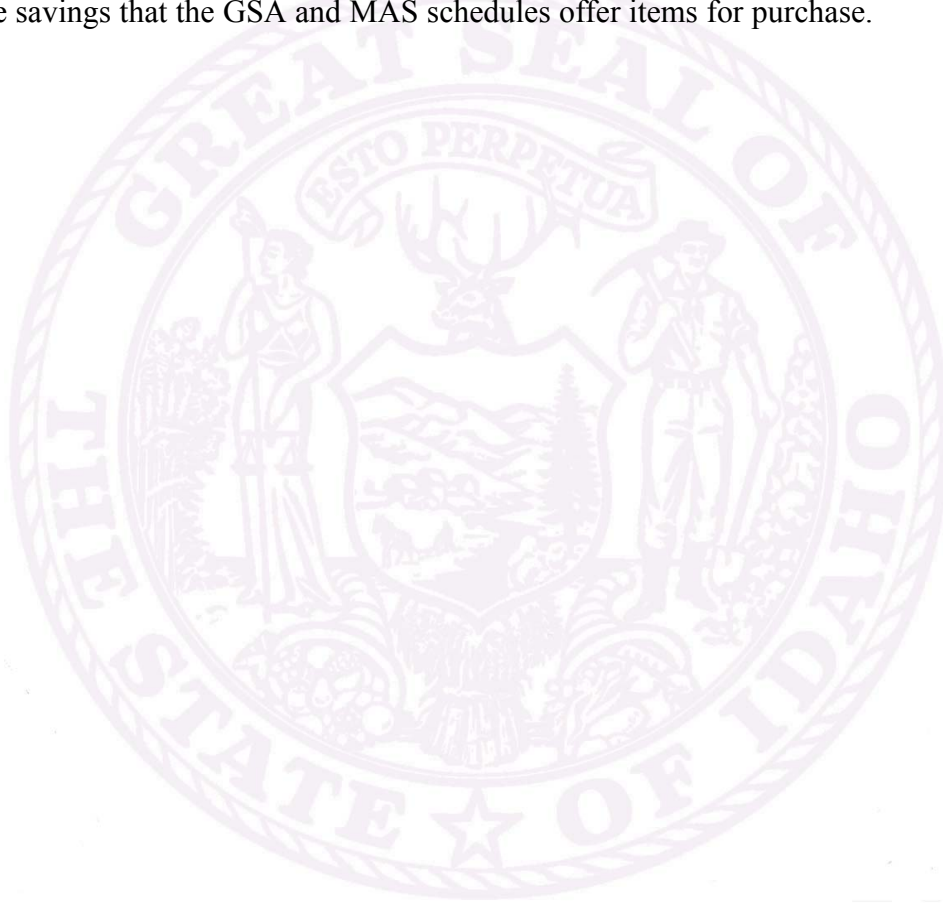
STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS20322

This legislation clarifies that political subdivisions may purchase items from the federal government schedules (GSA or MAS). The federal government considers these items to be competitively bid, however, the process used does not meet the criteria set forth in current code. This legislation rectifies this conflict.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact on the general fund. A positive impact to political subdivisions is possible through the savings that the GSA and MAS schedules offer items for purchase.



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